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FIELD DEPLOYED PROBABLE SA-2 SITE (122)  
YEN BAI, NORTH VIETNAM  
21-28-05N 105-09-55E

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS A NEWLY IDENTIFIED FIELD DEPLOYED PROBABLE SAM SITE IN THE YEN BAI AREA, THE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND SITE TO BE IDENTIFIED IN NORTH VIETNAM.

2. LOCATION:

THE SITE IS LOCATED TWENTY-ONE NM SOUTHEAST OF YEN BAI.

3. BACKGROUND:

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ON [REDACTED] THE FIRST SAM SITE IN NORTH VIETNAM WAS OBSERVED ON PHOTOGRAPHY. THROUGH THE REMAINDER OF 1965 THE NUMBER OF SITES INCREASED TO SIXTY-FOUR. SITES 65 THROUGH 93 WERE FIRST OBSERVED IN FEBRUARY 1966, SITES 94 THROUGH 100 IN MARCH, SITE 101 IN APRIL, SITES 102 THROUGH 110 IN MAY, SITES 111 THROUGH 115 IN JUNE, AND SITES 116 THROUGH 122 IN JULY 1966. SITES 10, 18, 20, 36, 49, AND 50 HAVE BEEN ABANDONED DURING THIS FIFTEEN-MONTH TIME SPAN, BRINGING THE TOTAL NUMBER OF KNOWN SAM SITES IN NORTH VIETNAM TO ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEEN.

4. MISSION READOUT:

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REVEALS THIS FIELD DEPLOYED

PROBABLE SAM SITE TO CONSIST OF FIVE UNREVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS AND

NGA Review Complete

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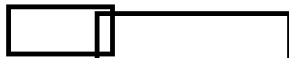


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AND AN UNREVIEWED CENTRAL GUIDANCE AREA. NO MISSILE HOLD POSITIONS,  
MISSILES OR MISSILE ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT ARE OBSERVED.

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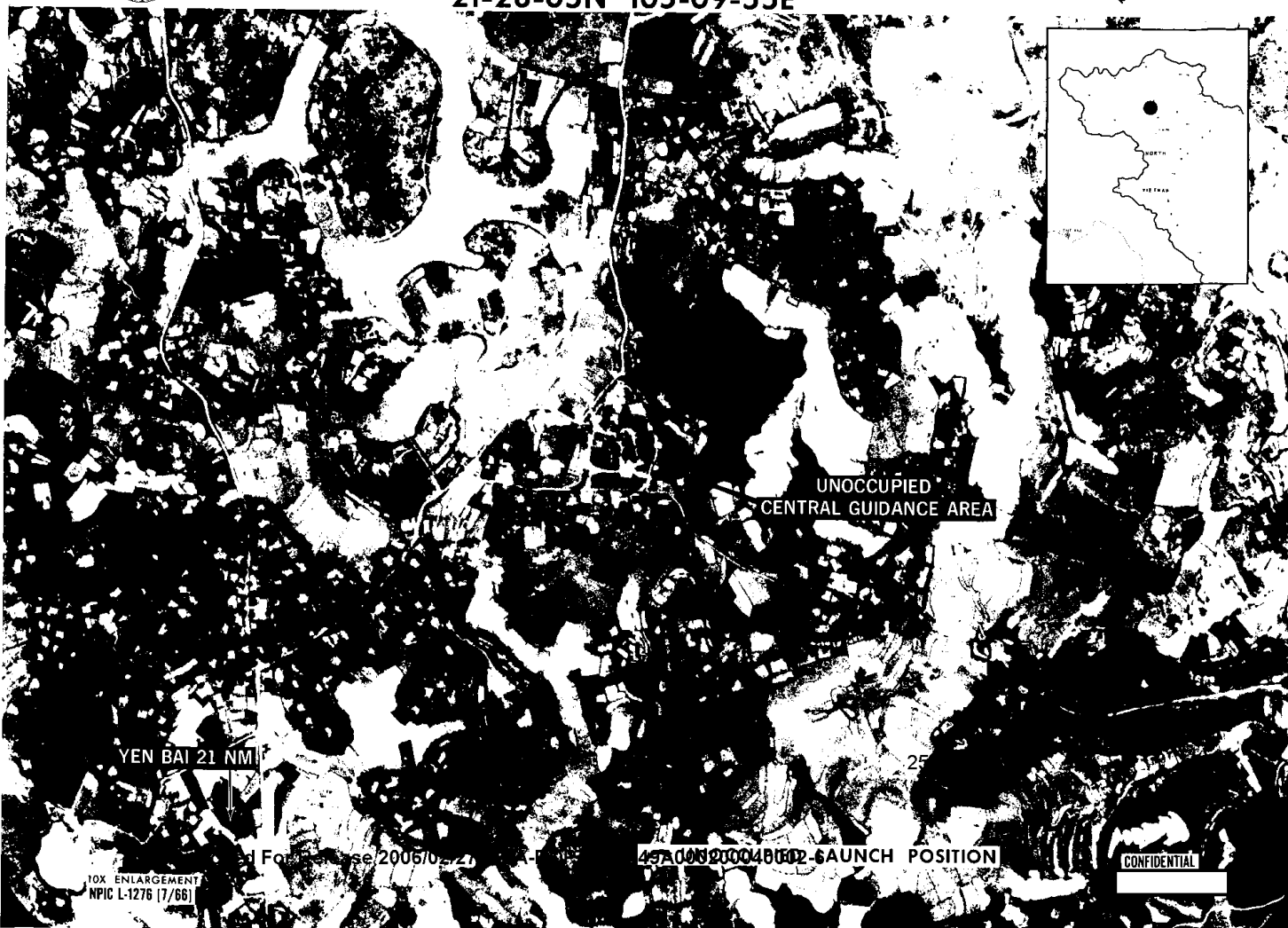
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YEN BAI 21 NM

UNOCCUPIED  
CENTRAL GUIDANCE AREA

49A008200048002-6 LAUNCH POSITION

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